

LADDERS

April 1-2, 2017



MESSAGE NOTES

Ladders | Part 5

You must have the same attitude that Christ Jesus had. Though he was God, he did not think of equality with God as something to cling to. Instead, he gave up his divine privileges; he took the humble position of a slave and was born as a human being. When he appeared in human form...

Philippians 2:5-7 (NLT)

How do I pray "downward" prayers?

1. Pray _____.

Jesus went out as usual to the Mount of Olives...

Luke 22:39a (NIV)

2. Pray _____.

Then Jesus went with his disciples to a place called Gethsemane, and he said to them, "Sit here while I go over there and pray." He took Peter and the two sons of Zebedee along with him, and he began to be sorrowful and troubled. Then he said to them, "My soul is overwhelmed with sorrow to the point of death. Stay here and keep watch with me."

Matthew 26:36-38 (NIV)

3. Pray _____.

Going a little farther, he fell with his face to the ground and prayed, "My Father, if it is possible, may this cup be taken from me. Yet not as I will, but as you will."

Matthew 26:39 (NIV)

4. Pray _____.

He went away a second time and prayed, "My Father, if it is not possible for this cup to be taken away unless I drink it, may your will be done." When he came back, he again found them sleeping, because their eyes were heavy. So he left them and went away once more and prayed the third time, saying the same thing.

Matthew 26:42-44 (NIV)

"Rise! Let us go! Here comes my betrayer!"

Matthew 26:46 (NIV)

GRACE NEWS

Warren Willis Camp! June 12 -17. Cost \$420. Current 3rd grade students through High School. Applications and scholarship forms available in Children's and Youth building. Registration and deposit deadline, May 1. For more info call Melissa 574.7161.

Women of Grace Church and sisters in the community: Our Spring Luncheon is 10AM-1PM, Saturday, May 13. Purchase your \$10 tickets the month of April at the table in the foyer. For more information email Cheryl at cacevedo@comcast.net or call Kim at 574.7161.

Prayer shawl group meeting at 10AM on Tuesday, April 4, in Thrift Store coffee corner.

DivorceCare - Find healing in a safe place. New class starting 6:30-8PM, Wednesday, May 24. egracechurch.com/classes.

Summer Camp registration is now open for kidz who have completed Kindergarten through fifth grade. Contact Stacy Knight at 573.6890 or sknight@egracechurch.com for more info. Camp begins May 31 and ends July 28.

Exceptional Entrepreneurs will be offering their Spring/Easter crafts this weekend and next between services in the foyer.

Time for Grace respite afternoon 2-4PM Tuesday, April 4, in room 5.

Discover Grace - Find out who we are and where you fit. 11:30AM - 12:45PM, Sunday, April 30. Register at egracechurch.com/classes.

LET'S CONNECT

PLEASE TEAR OUT AND DROP IN BASKETS AS YOU EXIT

Date: / /

Service Attended: _____

- 1st time 2nd time 3rd time
 Regular Attendee Church Member
 Male Female

Name(s): _____

- Single 18-23 50's
 Married 24-29 60+
 Divorced 30's
 Widowed 40's
 Middle School High School College

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

Ph: _____

Cell: _____

Email: _____

Please update my contact information

MY DECISION TODAY

- I said **YES** for the first time, and became a follower of Jesus.
 I decided to **RENEW** my relationship with Jesus.

We have resources to help you with your decision.

PRAYER REQUESTS

PRAY FOR: _____

Public Prayer List For Pastors Only

I WOULD LIKE INFORMATION ABOUT:

SMART GIVING

go to: egracechurch.com/give

-OR-

text any amount to: 239.443.5901

An effective and time-saving way to give your tithes and offerings without carrying cash or writing checks.



Easter Candy Donations Needed - Looking for store-bought, individually wrapped candy for the Easter Egg Hunt. Please bring donations to table in the foyer.

Easter weekend volunteers needed for various serving opportunities! Contact Kim 574.7161 or kseverin@egracechurch.com.

EASTER

Maundy Thursday

April 13 @ 6:30pm

Celebrate Recovery (Good Friday)

April 14 @ 6:45pm

Saturday Worship, Dinner, Egg Hunt

April 15 @ 5pm

Easter Sunrise Service

April 16 @ 6:30am

Easter Worship

April 16 @ 8:30, 10, & 11:30am

More times & locations:

egracechurch.com/easter

GIVING

General Fund	
Last Week	\$ 32,926
Received YTD	\$ 395,310

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